

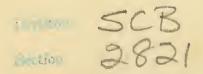
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arols sweet our voices raise,

A nthems, filled with prayer and praise.

R ays of love and hope divine,

On our pathway brightly shine;

To ord of all, our Savior, King,

S ongs of joy to Thee we sing.

no for all Thy power to bless,

F ull of love and tenderness,

J esus, Savior, Lord and King,

O nly songs of joy we sing,

Y outhful hearts our offering.

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REV. J. B. ATCHINSON.

"Make a joyful noise unto the Lord all ye lands."-Ps. 100:1.

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- 1. We hail thee, we hail thee, sweet car-ols of joy; Thy songs will our hearts and our voic-es em ploy.

 2. Go forth on thy mis-sion of glad-ness and praise, Teach thous-ands to Je sus heart car ols to raise.
- 3. Sing car-ols, sweet car ols, to young and to old; Sing songs of the cit y that's paved with pure gold.
- 4. Sing songs of the Gos pel of mer cy and love, Sing songs of the rest that is wait ing a bove.



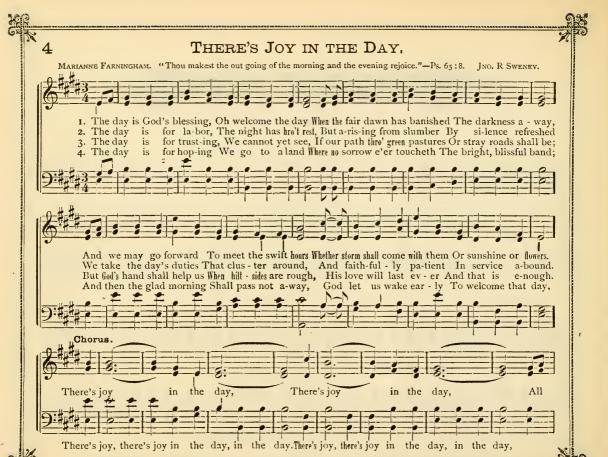
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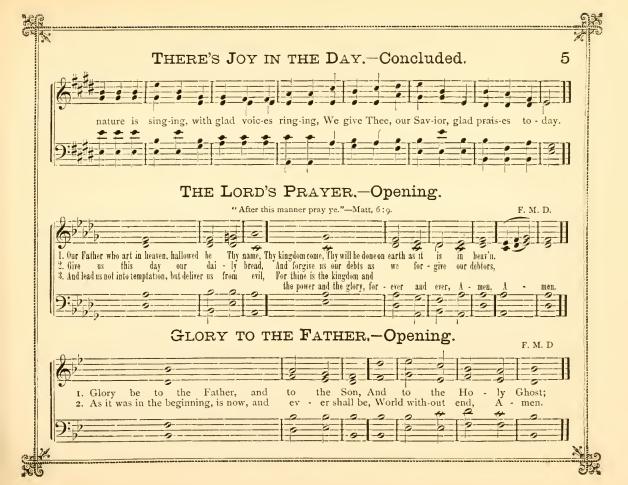


All hail, all hail, all hail, all hail!

All bail, all hail, all hail, all hail!







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SAVIOR, BLESS US Now.-Opening Hymn.







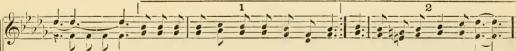






GATHER THEM IN.

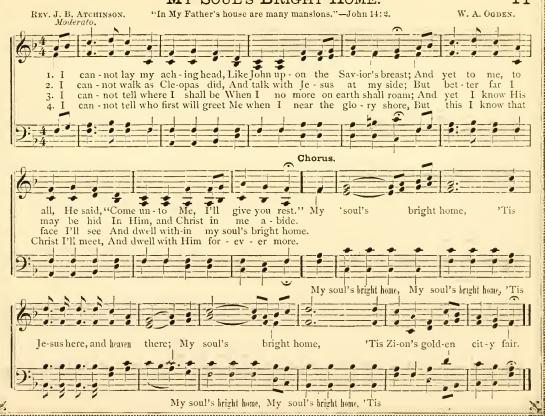
"Go out in the highways and hedges and compel them to come in."-Luke 14:23. EBEN E. REXFORD I. In to the light of God's glori-ous love, Gather them in, gather them in, In to the path-way that 2. Out of the paths where in er-ror they stray, Welcome them in, welcome them in, Tell them of Ie - sus and 3. Go to them loving-ly, kind words are strong, Bid them come in, bid them come in, lead them by lov ing them Chorus. lead-eth a - bove, And out of the val-ley of sin. Gath-er them in, (Gather them in,) gather them show them the way, A home in His Heav-en a-bove, In - to the light, (lu-to the light,) out of the out of the wrong And souls for His harvest-time win.



in, (Mather them in,) Out of the highways and by-ways of sin. O gath er the wand'rers in. night, (Out of the night,)

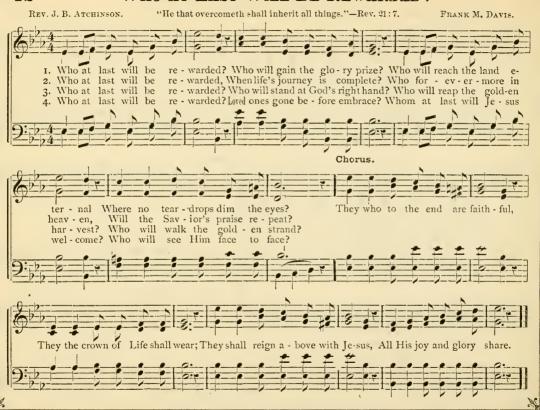


MY SOUL'S BRIGHT HOME.

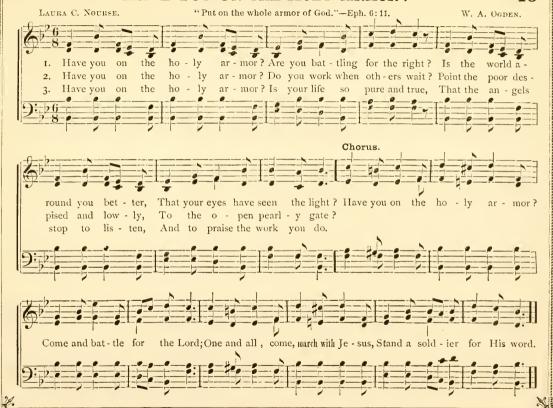


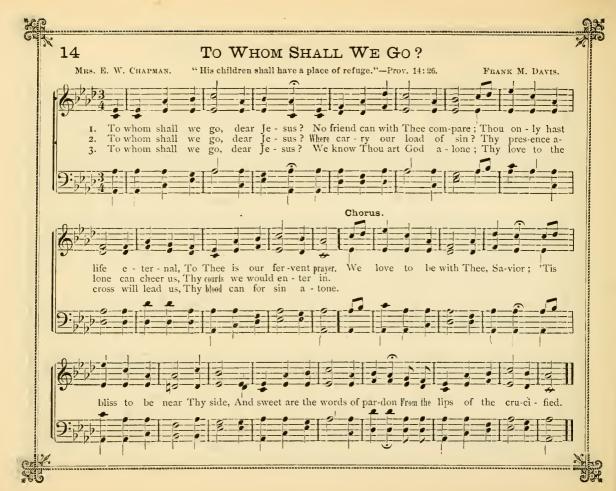


WHO AT LAST WILL BE REWARDED?

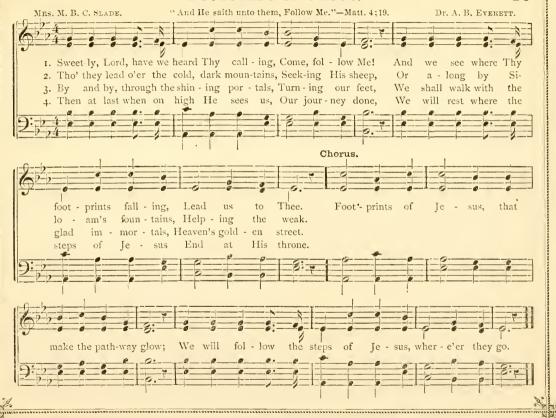


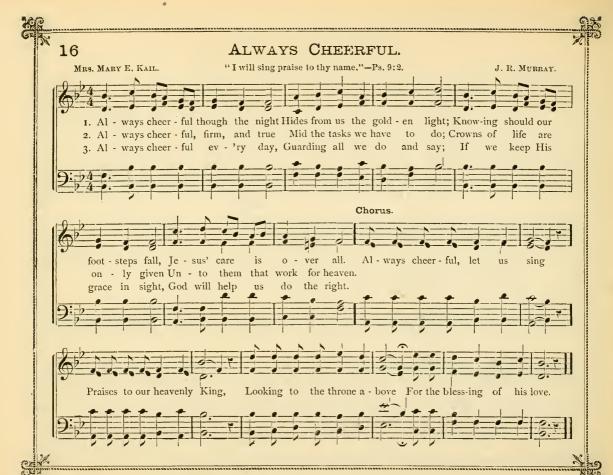
HAVE YOU ON THE HOLY ARMOR?





FOOTSTEPS OF JESUS.





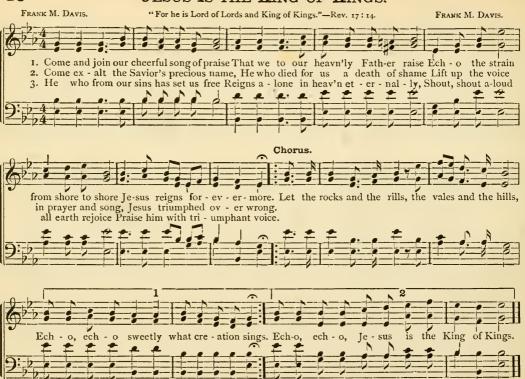
HAVE YOU HEARD THE SWEET MESSAGE?

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JESUS IS THE KING OF KINGS.



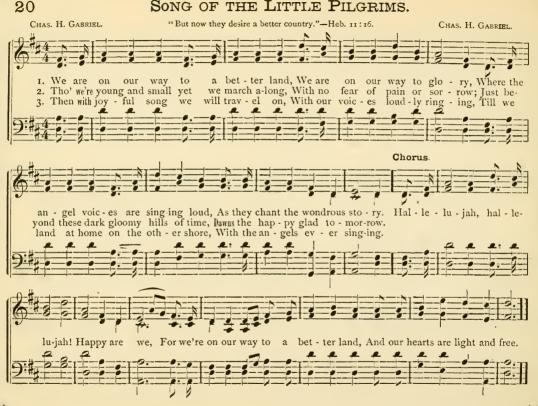


JOYFULLY WORK FOR JESUS.





Song of the Little Pilgrims.

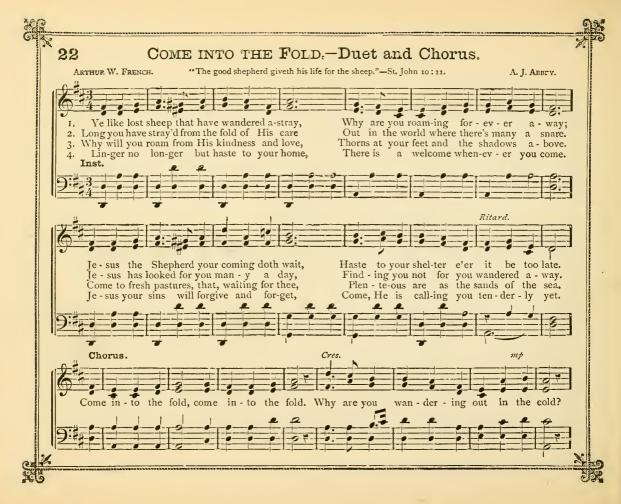




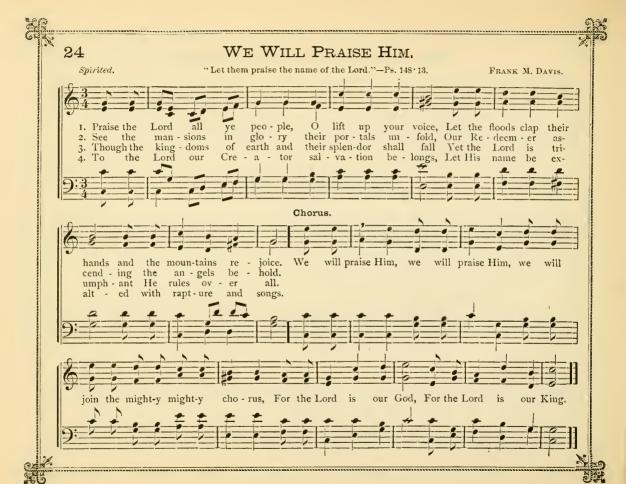
WELCOME TO OUR SABBATH HOME.

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"Both young men and maidens; old men and children."-Ps. 148:12. Cheerfully. Frank M. Davis. I. Joy - ful hearts and smil-ing fac - es Gath - er in our school to - day; Loy-ing words and gen - tle 2. We are look ing for Thypres-ence, And we wait to hear Thy voice; Long to hear Thee, know Thee, 3. Gent-ly lead our hearts O Je - sus! Help us lest we go a - stray; Teach us - al-ways to o -4. May the grace of God the Fath er, And the Sav-ior's ten-derlove, With the bless-ed Spir-it's Chorus. Min-gle in our op'n-ing lay. O lis-ten to the hap-py song of greet-ing, Sweet-ly love Thee, In Thy love we would re-joice. bey Thee, Guide us in the nar-row way. Rest up - on us from a - bove. sound-ing 'neath the dome, While in Je - sus' name we bid thee wel-come, Wel-come to our Sab-bath home.







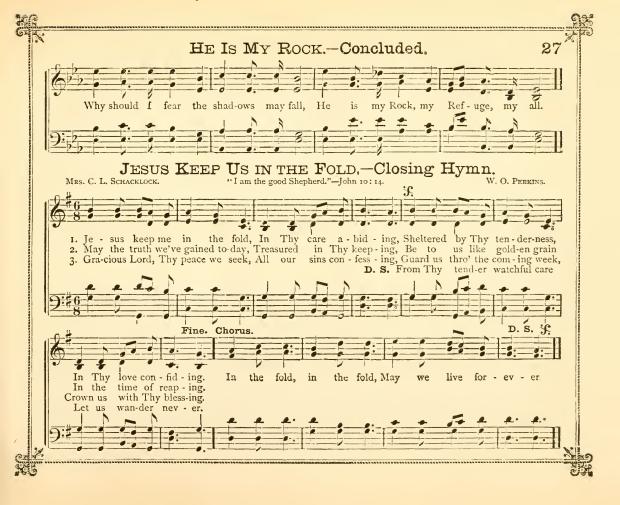
25 "Where hast thou gleaned to-day?"-Ruth 2: 10. Laura C. Nourse. FRANK M. DAVIS. Where hast thou gleaned to-day? What ser-vice hast thou wrought? What hearts made glad that else were sad? Where hast thou gleaned to-day? What feet hast sought to lead In ways thine own, the long-er known, 3. Where hast thou gleaned to-day? God brooks no i - dlers here; The gold - en grain is strewn in vain Where hast thou gleaned to-day? 'Tis Je - sus fain would know, Wouldst make thee bold, like Ruth of old. What sheares the Mas-ter brought; And if to-night thou'rt called to rest, Can'st meet in peace the lord-ly Guest? Doth still my guid-ance need; What na-ked clothed, what hun-gry fed? What hearts to Me by kind-ness led? If no true hearts ap-pear, No wil-ling hands and tire-less feet Who find in toil the rest they seek. The task He sets to do; And gather, when thy work is done, Thy sheares like stars to deck thy crown. Chorus. There's work in my vine-yard, Go la - bor and pray; The Mas-ter is call - ing, He needs thee to-day.

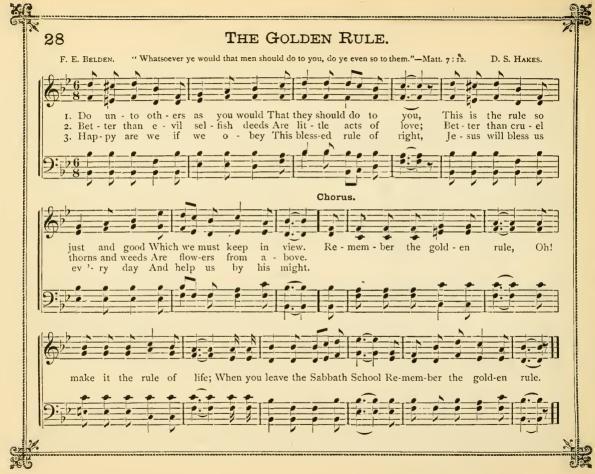


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HE IS MY ROCK.







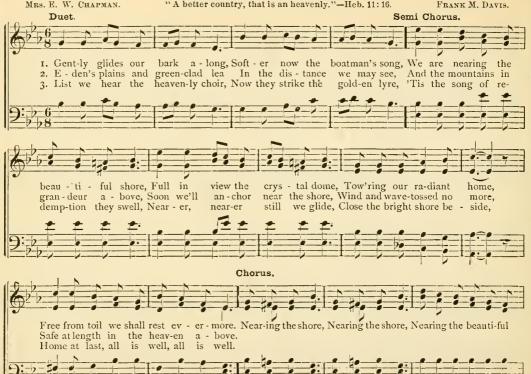
CLOSING HYMN.



NEARING THE BEAUTIFUL SHORE.

"A better country, that is an heavenly,"-Heb. 11:16.

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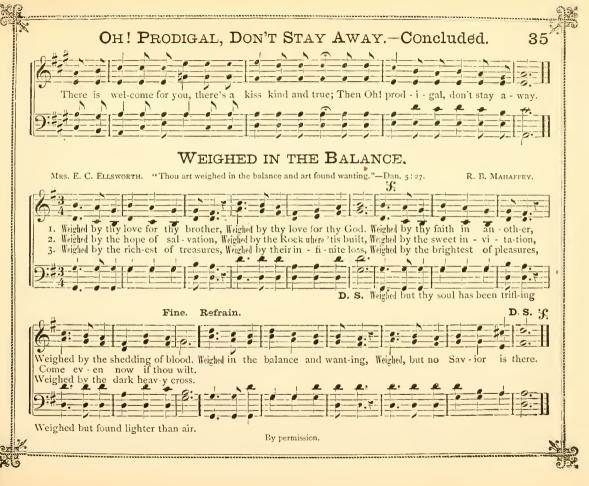


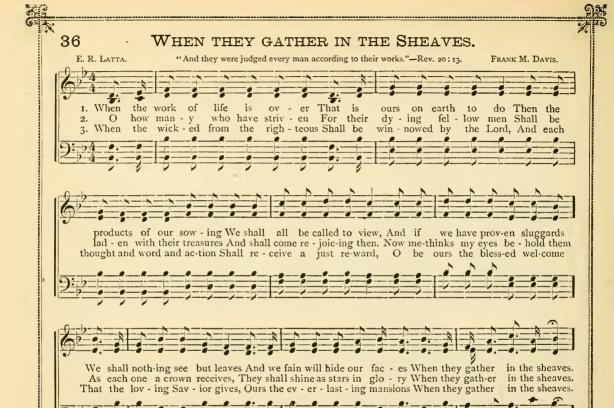


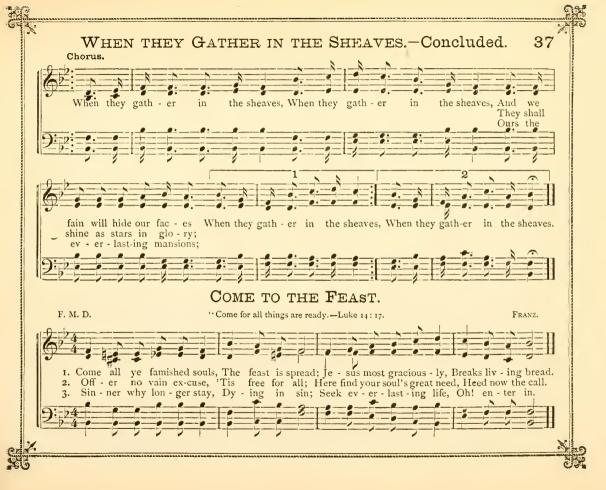


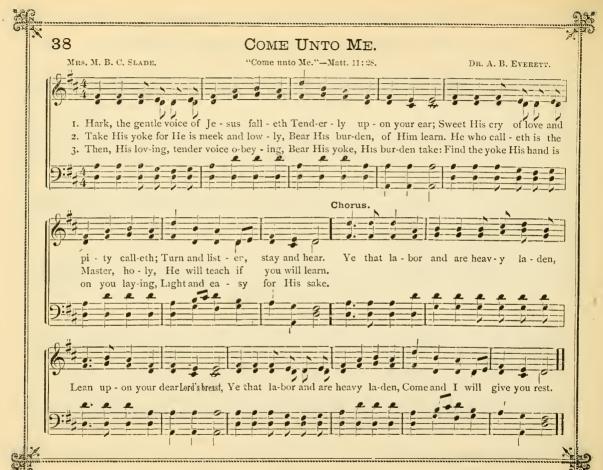


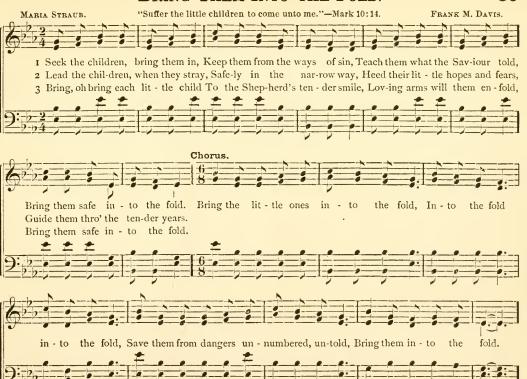








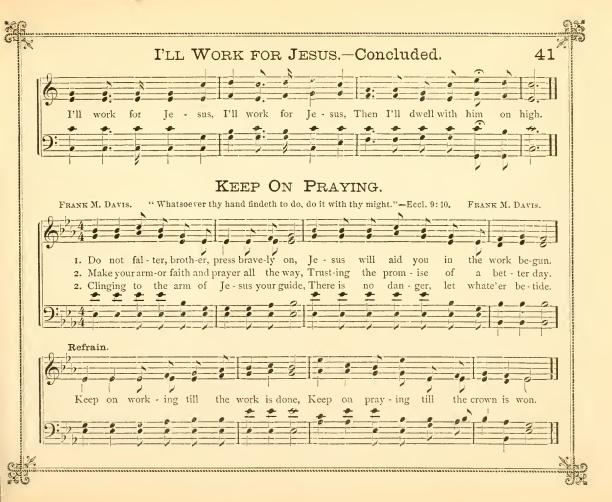


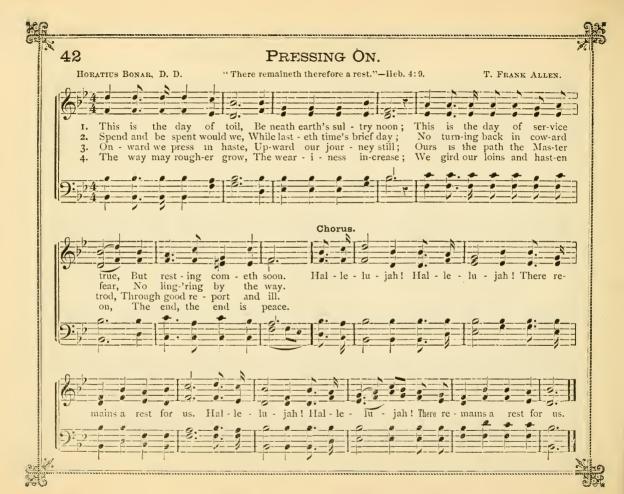




I'LL WORK FOR JESUS.

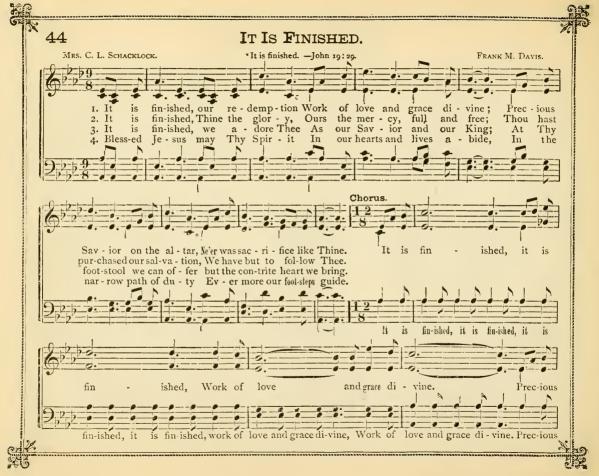


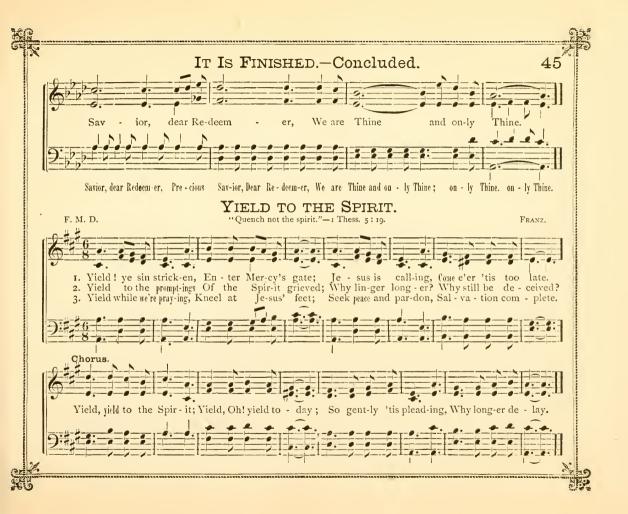




SAVE ME NOW, LORD.

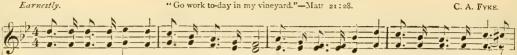






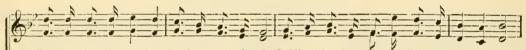
TOILING FOR THE MASTER.

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- 1. Toil-ing in the vineyard, Wear-y af-ter-while, Ev-er looking up-ward for the Master's smile;
 2. Wa-ter-ing with teardrops, Guarding all with care; For there's need of watching, Need of ear-nest prayer;
- 3. Rest-ing in the evening, When the last work s done, And the gleaner hastens To his longed-for home:





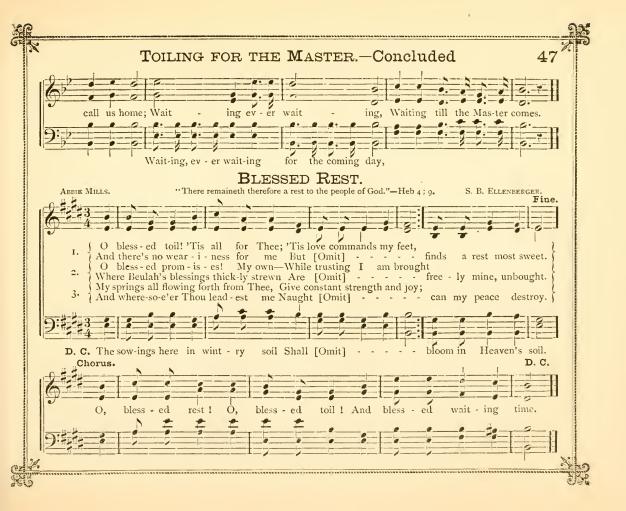
Sow-ing in the morning, Precious seeds of truth, Guiding lit - tle pil-grims Thro' the paths of youth. Reap-ing in the noontide Stores of gold - en grain, For the seed thus scattered Must re-turn a - gain. Then he hears the plau-dit From the one we love, Welcome faith-ful ser - vant To your home a - bove.



Chorus.











BLESSED RIVER.

"And He showed me a pure river of water of Life,"-REV. 22: 1.





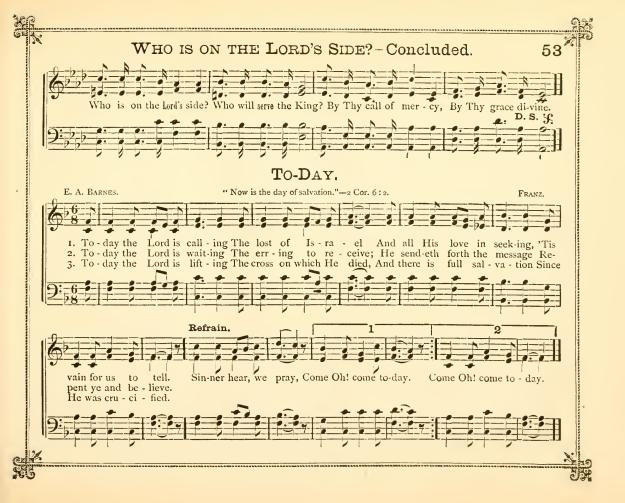






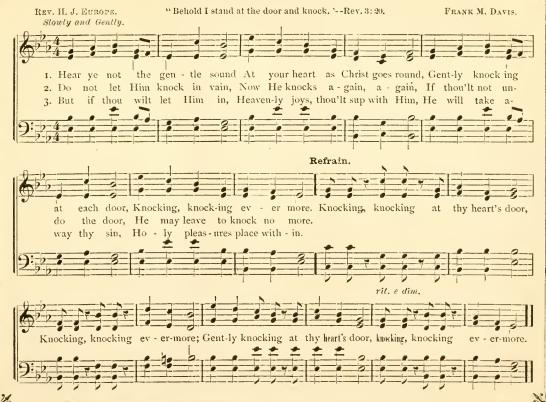
WHO IS ON THE LORD'S SIDE?







CHRIST IS KNOCKING AT THE DOOR.





IN THIS SIGN WE CONQUER.



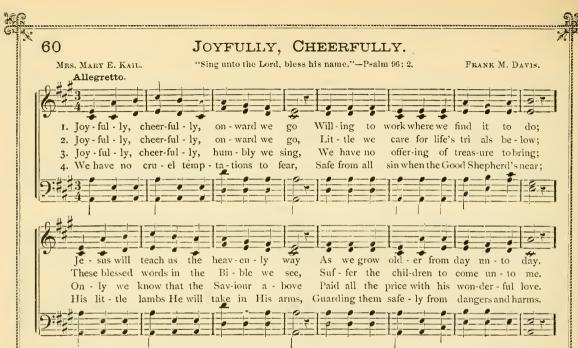


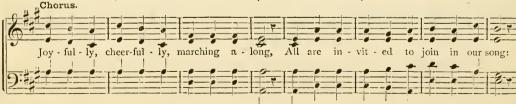
SHOUT FOR JOY THE SAVIOR'S NAME.

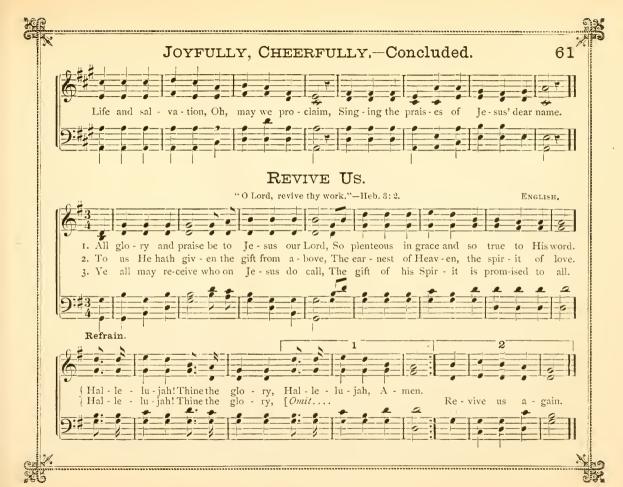


SWEET REST.













THE MORNING COMETH.







BEAUTIFUL HOME.



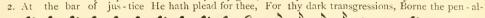
HE WILL PARDON THEE.

MRS. C. L. SCHACKLOCK. "Who gave himself for us that he might redeem us."-Tilus 2:14.

FRANZ.



I. O thou wea-ry cap-tive fet-tered by thy guilt, For thy soul's de - liv'rance Je - sus blood was







spilt. O - pen is thy pris - on if thou on - ly wilt, Take the of - fered par - don now. ty, Now the of - fered mer - cy meas - ure - less and free, Take the of - fered par -don now.



D. S. 1. Whit-en all thy gar-ments in the cleansing flood; Cap-tive take thy par-don now.

D. S. 2. Trust His ten - der guid - ance He will lead the way; Take the of-fered par-don now.



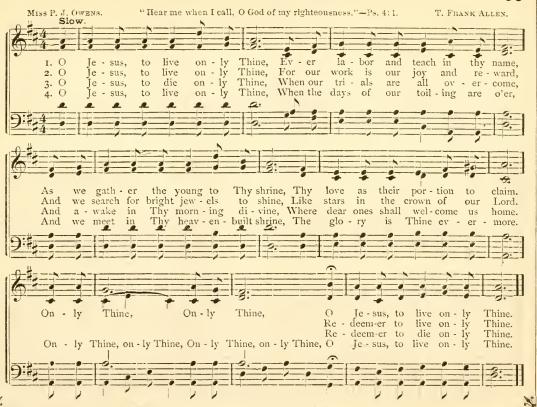
Take the par-don now, Take the par-don now; He hath paid thy ran-som with His Take the par-don now, Take the par-don now; Leave thy dungeon's darkness for the light of day,

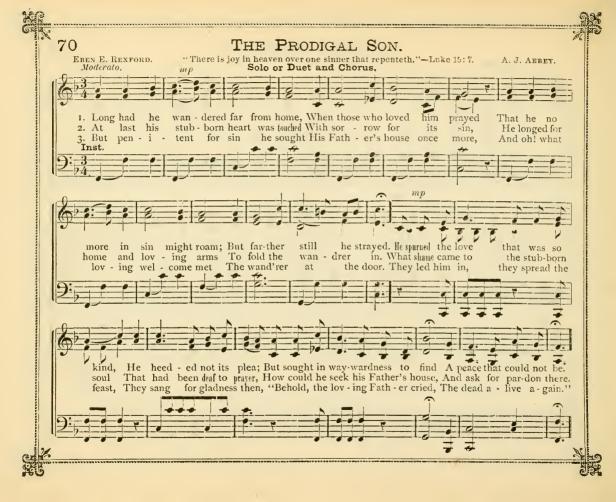


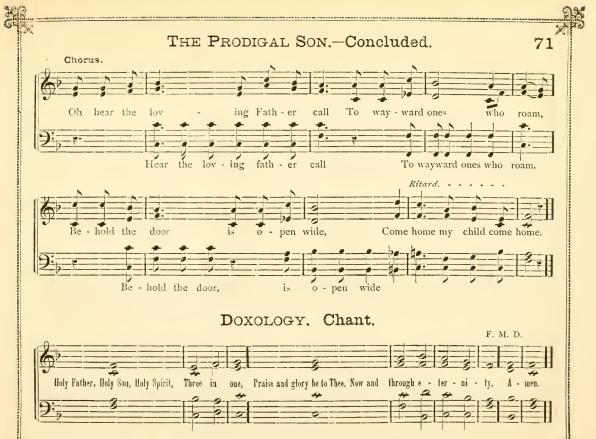




ONLY THINE.









GATHER THE GOLDEN GRAIN.



CONSECRATION.

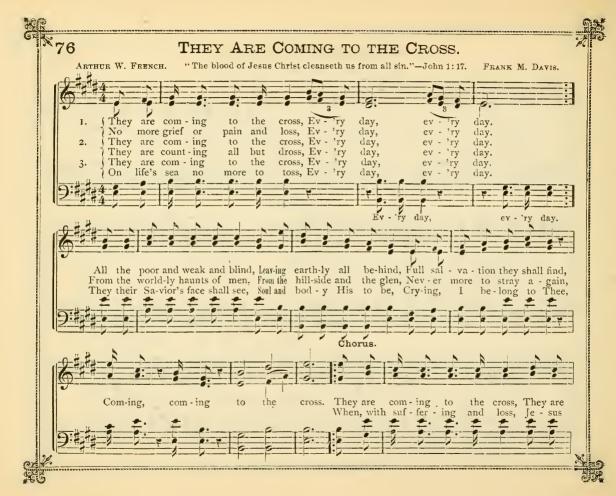


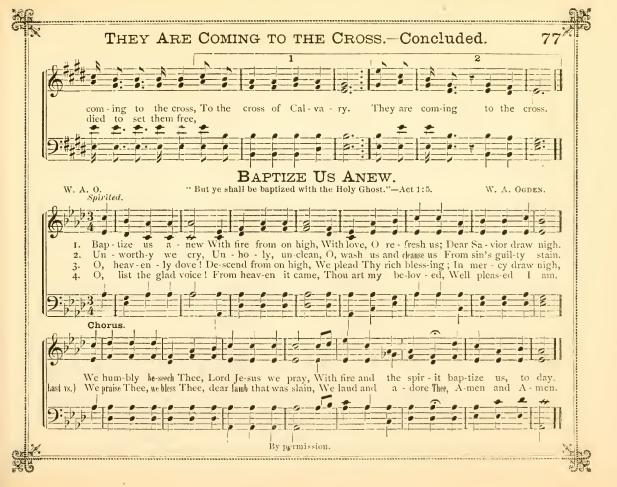


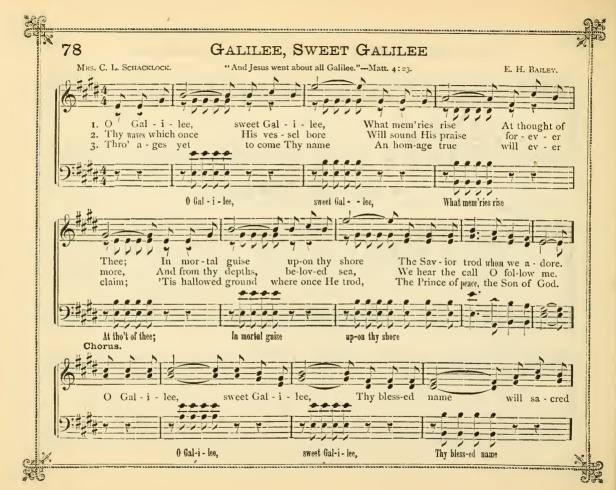


SING SONGS OF GLORY.



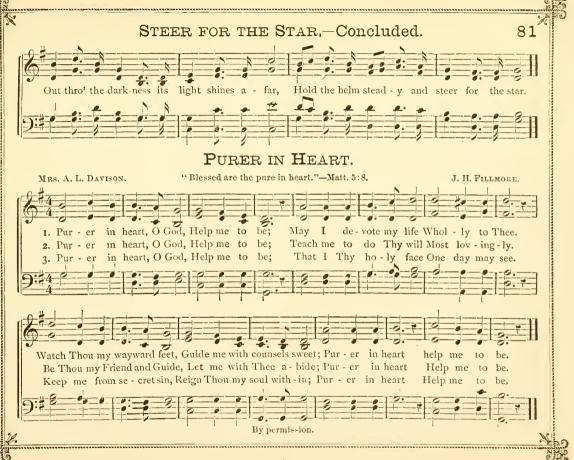






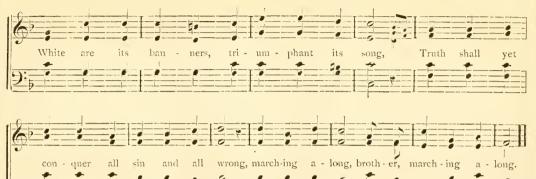






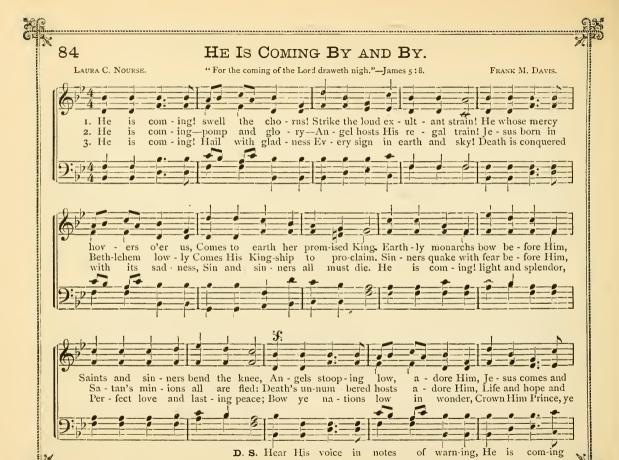


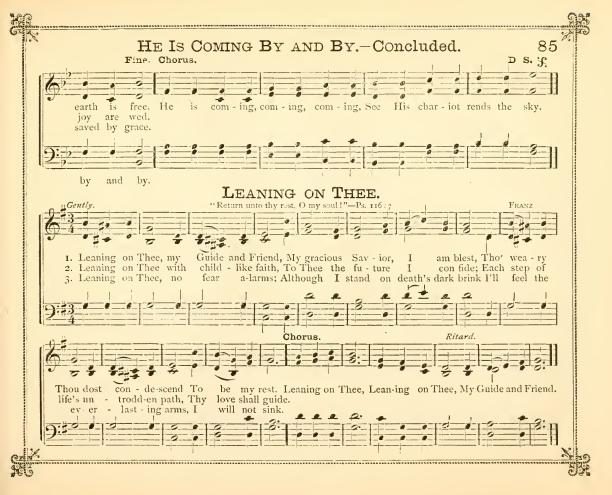
TRUTH IS STILL MARCHING ALONG.—Concluded.



THY WILL BE DONE.



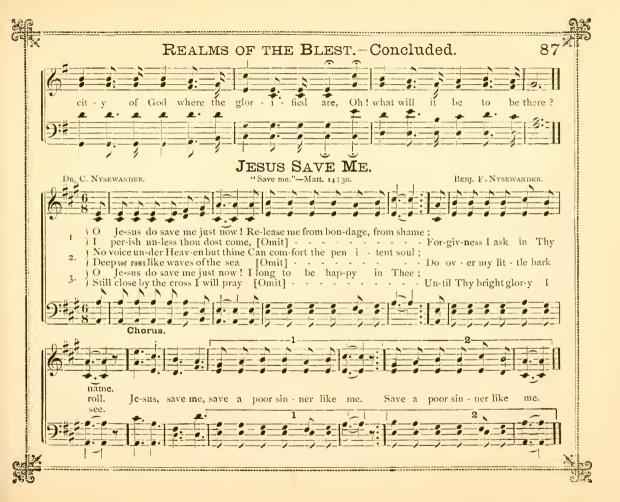






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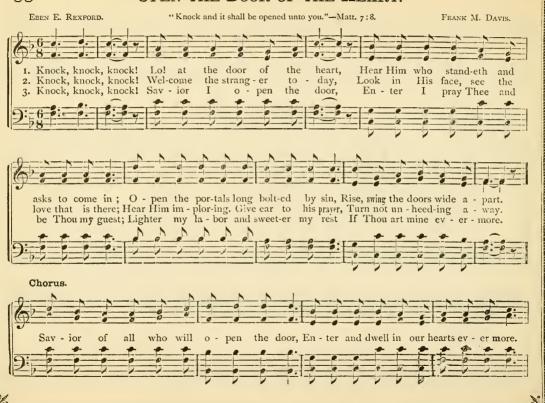








OPEN THE DOOR OF THE HEART.

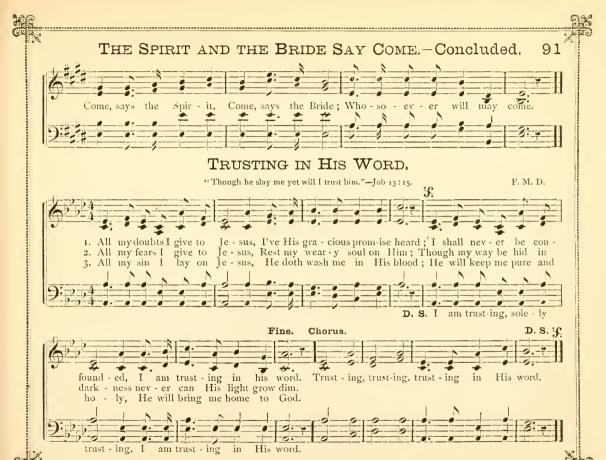




THE SPIRIT AND THE BRIDE SAY COME.

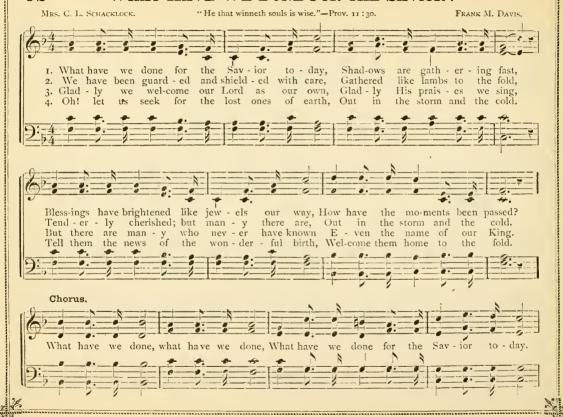


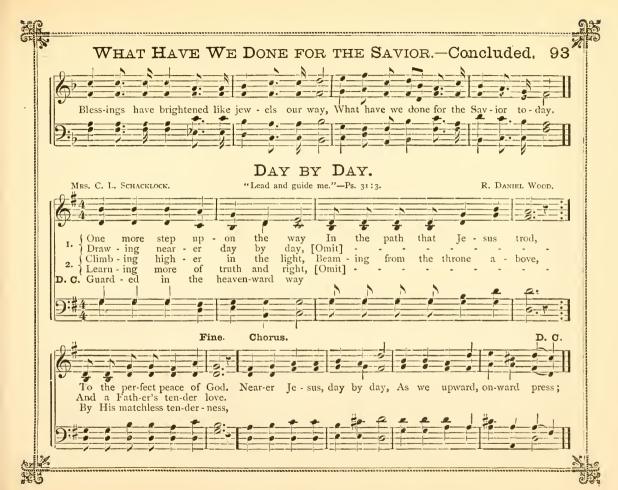




WHAT HAVE WE DONE FOR THE SAVIOR?









WHISPER PEACE TO OUR SOULS.





PRECIOUS WORDS.

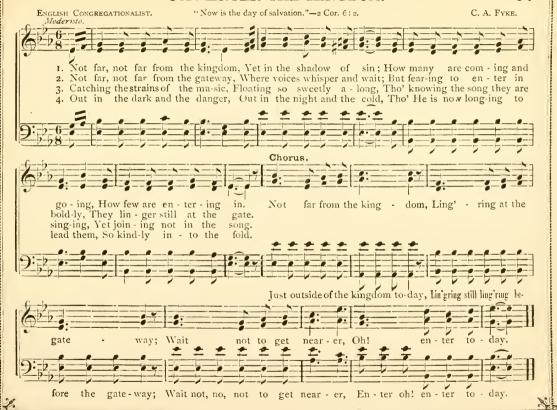


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OH! ENTER THE KINGDOM.

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MY SAVIOR'S VOICE.





MY SAVIOR'S VOICE.-Concluded.



LINGER AT THE CROSS.

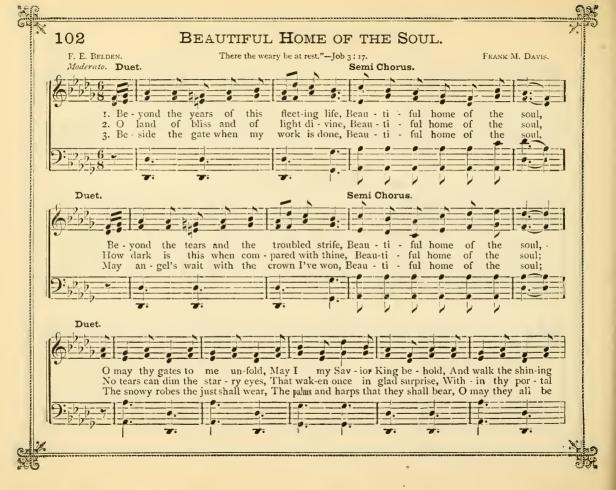


GATHERING HOME.

MISS MARIANA B. SLADE. "Blessed are the dead which die in the Lord from henceforth,"-Rev. 14:13. R. M. McIntosh.

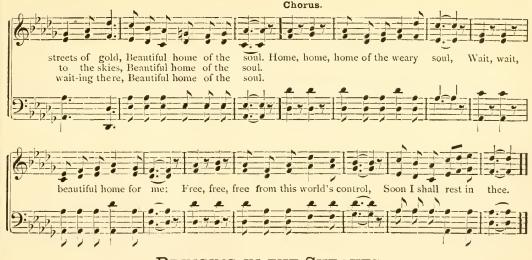






BEAUTIFUL HOME OF THE SOUL.—Concluded.

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BRINGING IN THE SHEAVES.

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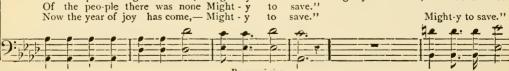
I Sowing in the morning, sowing seeds of kindness, Sowing in the noontide and the dewy eve; Waiting for the harvest and the time of reaping, We shall come rejoicing, bringing in the sheaves.

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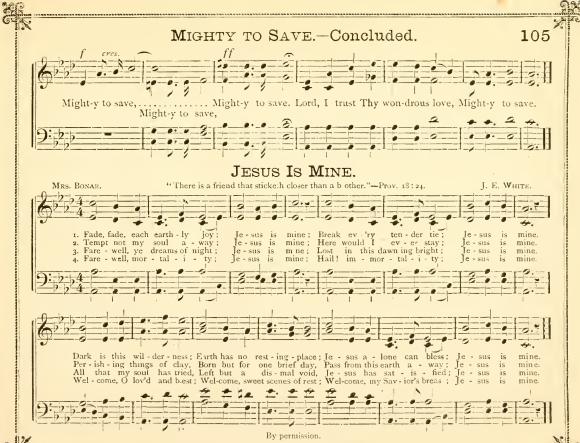
- Finging in the sheaves, bringing in the sheaves, We shall come rejoicing, bringing in the sheaves.
- 2 Sowing in the sunshine, sowing in the shadows, Fearing neither clouds nor winter's chilling breeze. By and by the harvest and the labor ended, We shall come rejoicing, bringing in the sheaves.
- 3 Go then ever weeping, sowing for the Master, Tho' the loss sustained our spirit often grieves; When our weeping's over He will bid us welcome, We shall come rejoicing, bringing in the sheaves.



MIGHTY TO SAVE. 104 "Mighty to save."-Isa, 63:1. REV R W TODD HARRY SANDERS 1. O, who is this that cometh From E-dom's crim-son plain, With would ed side, with gar-ments dved? 2. O, why is Thine ap - par-el With reek-ing gore all dyed, Like them that tread the wine - press red? 3. O, bleed ing Lamb, my Sar-jour flow could'st Thou bear this shape? "With mer-cy fraught, mine own arm brought Oh, tell me now Thy name! that saw thy soul's dis - tress, A ran - som gave; Oh! why this blood - y tide? wine-press trod a - lone, 'Neath dark-'ning skies; the Sal - va - tion in my name; the blood - v fight have won. Con - quered the grave, Refrain. that speak in right-eous-ness, Might - y Might-v to save.



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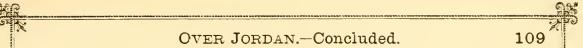














Jordan's wave, rolling Jordan's wave,



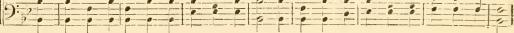
SONG OF WELCOME.

EBEN E. REXFORD. "Sing and rejoice."-Zac. 2:10. J. H. TENNEY. I. Welcome, happy voices sing in tune-ful measure; Chase all thots of sadness and of fear a - way; 2. Welcome to the temple where we learn of Je-sus; How we sit togeth er at the Master's feet; 3. Welcome, welcome! Set the ech-oes ring-ing; Ev'-ry heart re-joic - ing joins the strains we sing, Let each heart this morning fill with tho'ts of pleasure; Welcome, welcome, singing welcome, all, to-day. Tho' our eyes be - hold not, We can feel He sees us, Hear His ho - ly coun-sel, learn His wisdom sweet. As we come to geth er lov ing trib-ute bringing To the Lord, who loves us, homage to the King. Chorus. Wel come, all, to - day; Wel come here we sing, welcome, all, to-day; welcome here we sing, welcome here we sing, Welcome, all, to-day;





Its won-der-ful treasures have nev-er been told, More precious than ru-bies set round with puve gold. Its bless-ings are boundless, an in-fi-nite store, Wemay drink at its foun-tain and thirst nev-er more. No Je-sus, no Bi-ble, no heav-en of rest, O how could we live were our lives so un-blest!





THEY ARE GOING DOWN THE VALLEY.

MRS. C. L. SCHACKLOCK. "Blessed are the dead which die in the Lord from henceforth."—Rev. 14:13. Frank M. Davis. Andante with expression.



- 1. They are go ing down the valley, the dim dark valley, We shall see their faces never more, 2. When the glory of the morning, the sky and dorning, Floods the earth with sunshine we shall mourn.
- 3. Up on us the shadow fall-eth, its gloom ap pall-eth, For the light de-part ed we shall weep,
- 4. And when we too pass the por tal of life im-mor tal, When our bark shall anchor on the shore,





They are passing thro' the porital, the shad'wy porital, That leads to the Savilior we allow. For the blos-soms we have cherished, so fond - ly cherished, The blast from our loving clasp has torn. But from heights of love above us they still will love us, And o'er us a tender viging leave the greeting, the joy our greeting, When we meet our below ed once more.



Refrain.



They are go - ing down the val - ley, the dim dark val - ley, For - ev - er - more, for - ev - er - more.

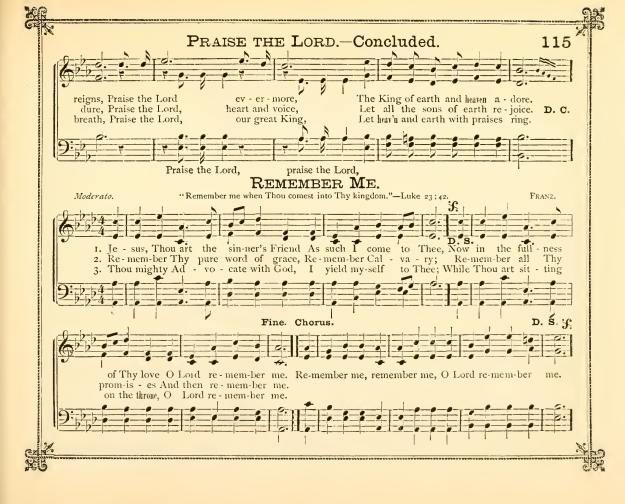






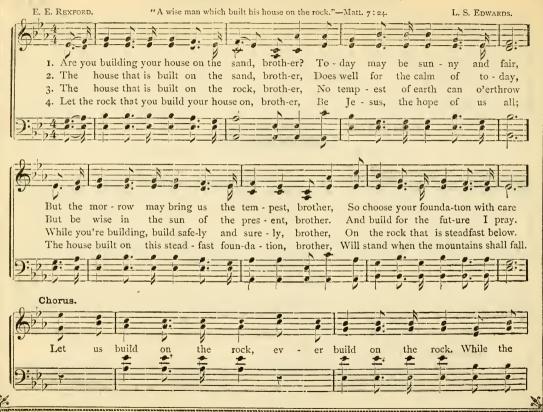




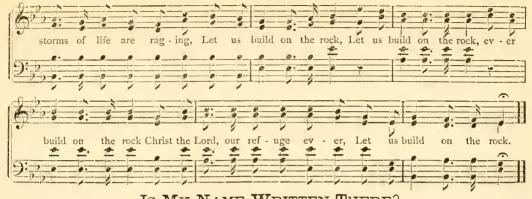




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ON WHAT ARE YOU BUILDING?-Concluded.



IS MY NAME WRITTEN THERE?

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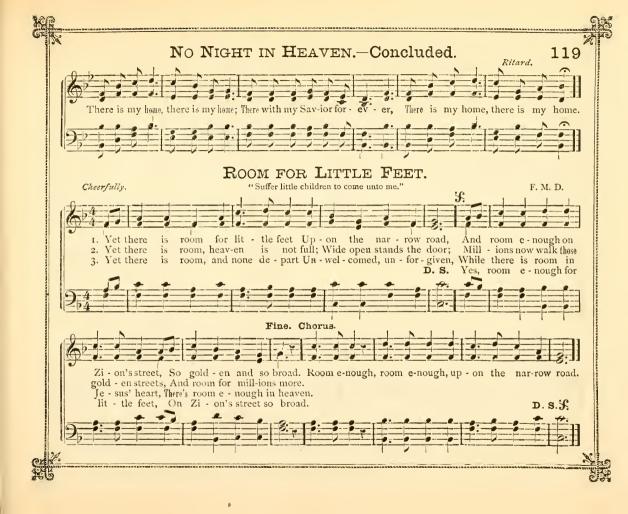
I Lord I care not for riches,
Neither silver nor gold;
I would make sure of heaven,
I would enter the fold.
In the book of Thy kingdom
With its pages so fair,
Tell me, Jesus my Savior,
Is my name written there?

CHORUS.

Is my name written there, On the page white and fair? In the book of Thy kingdom Is my name written there? 2 Lord, my sins they are many, Like the sands of the sea;
But the blood of my Savior Is sufficient for me!
For Thy promise is written In bright letters that glow;
Though your sins be as scarlet I will make them like snow.

3 Oh! that beautiful city
With its mansions of light,
With its glorified beings
In garments of white;
Where no evil thing cometh
To despoil what is fair;
Where the angels are watching,
Is my name written there?



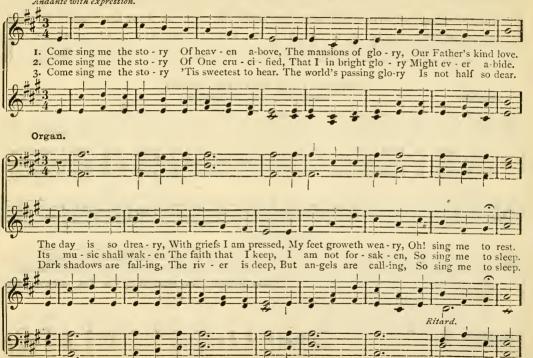






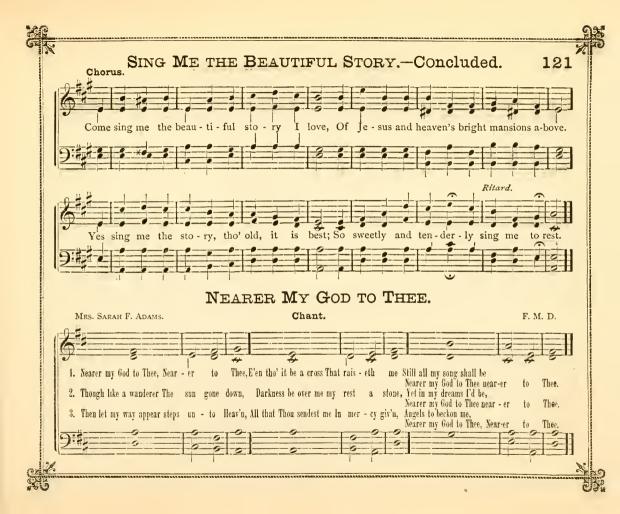
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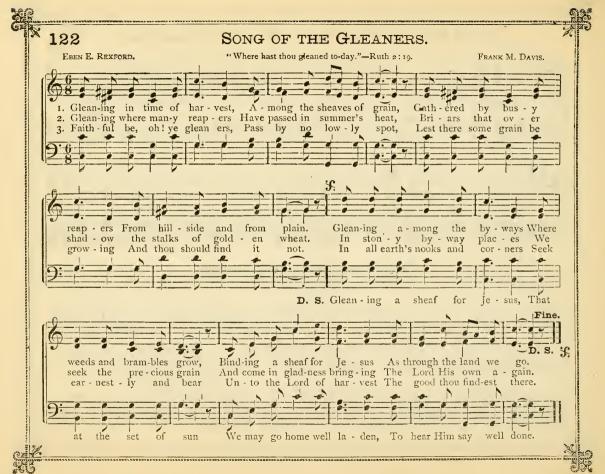
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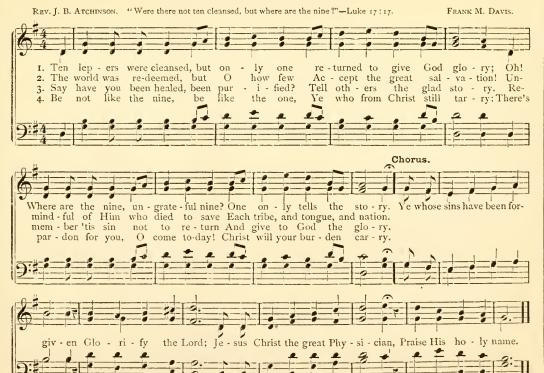


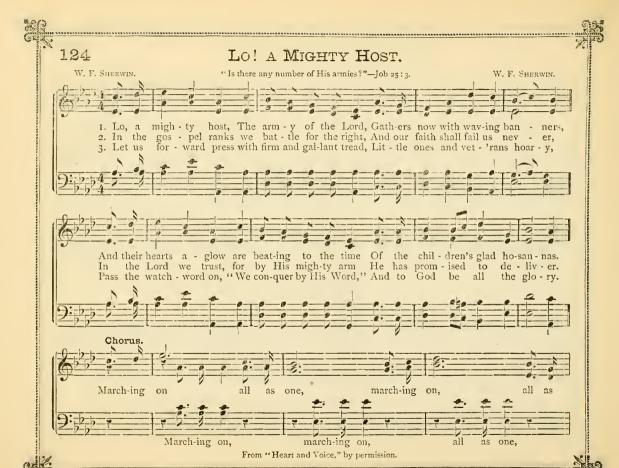


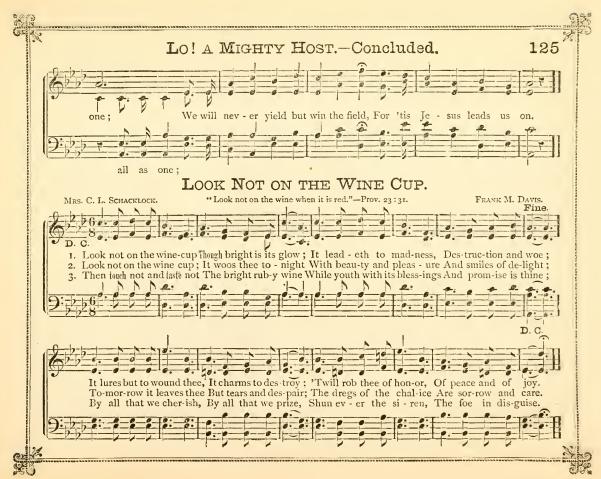


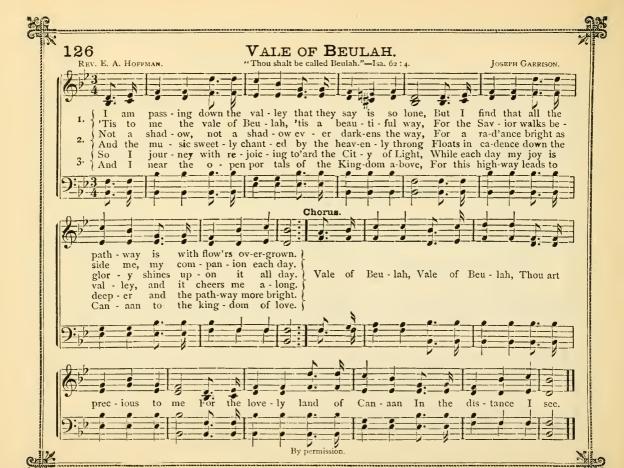






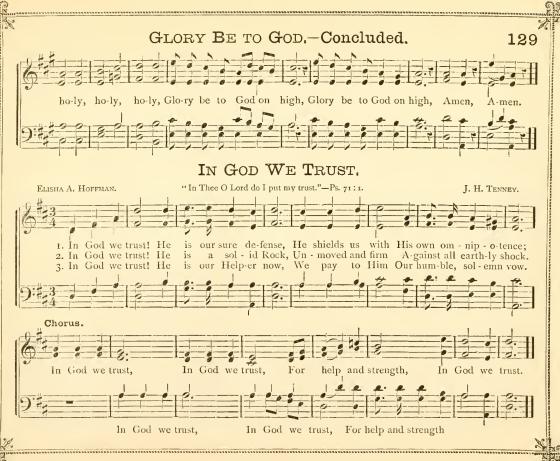




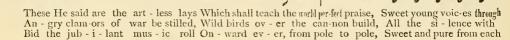








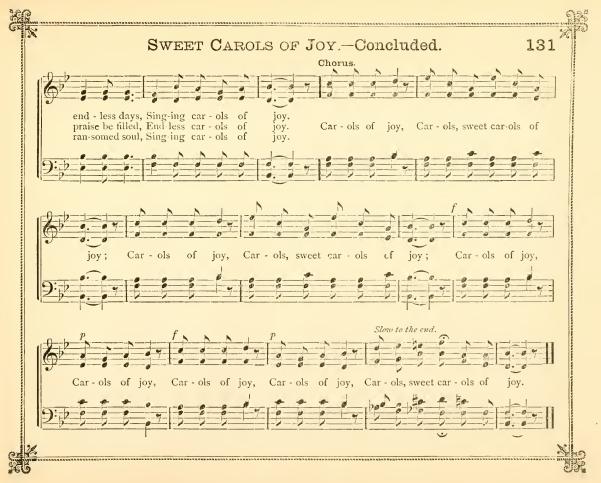






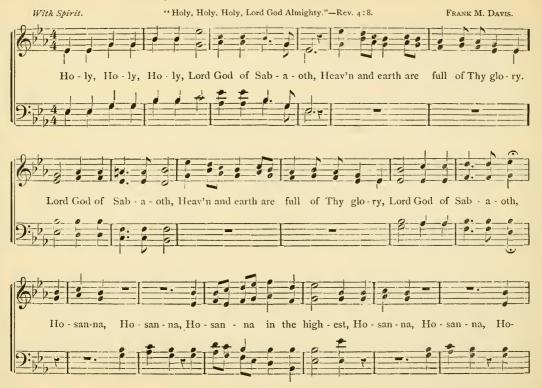








HOLY, HOLY! LORD GOD OF SABAOTH.

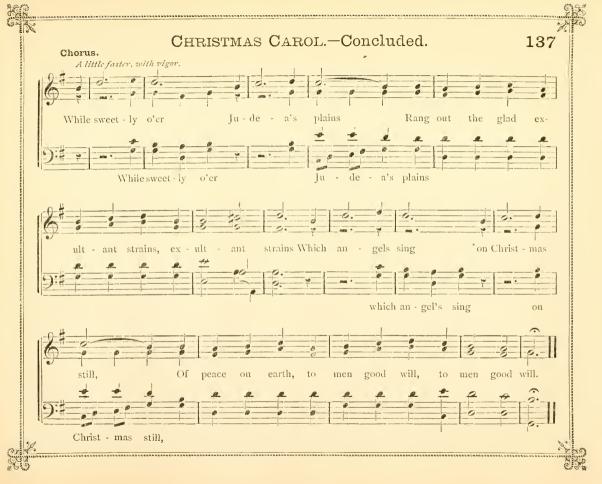








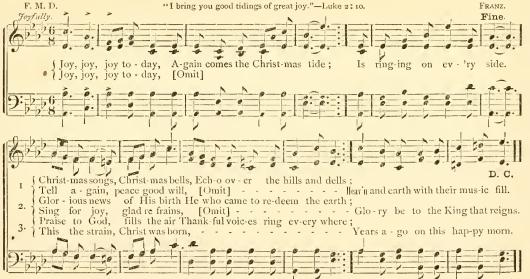








JOY TO-DAY.



COMING TO THE SAVIOR.

Tune-Christmas Song. Chorus on opposite page.

- WE have heard the wondrous story
 Of the Savior's lowly birth;
 How He left the throne of glory
 To redeem the host of earth.—Cho.
- 2. We are coming, we are coming, Faithful hearts to Him we bring; . We are heirs of life immortal, Subjects of a heavenly King.—Cho.

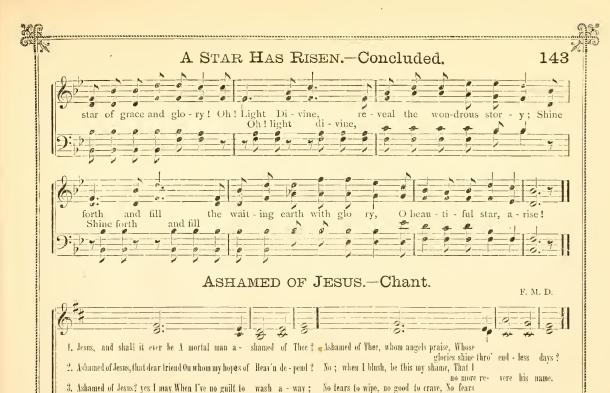
- We are coming to the Savior,
 Fleeing from the host of sin;
 And we seek our Father's kingdom
 Jesus, Master, let us in.—Cho.
- We are coming to the Fountain
 That will wash our sins away;
 We are called, we gladly follow
 And the loving voice obey.—Cho.







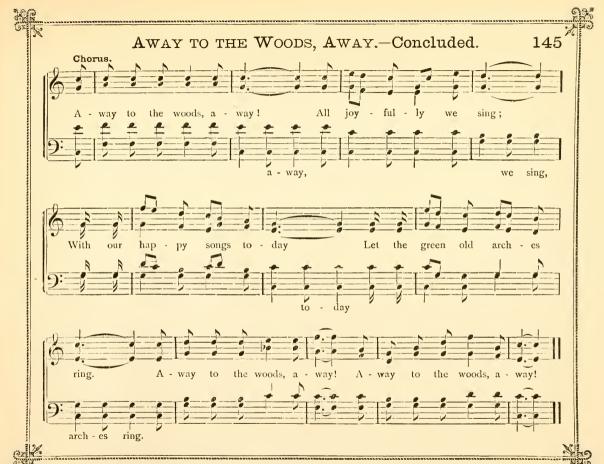


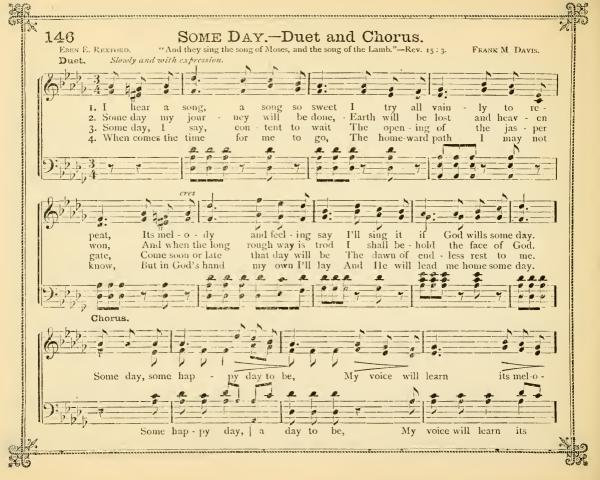












SOME DAY.-Concluded.



PEACE AT LAST.

Tune-Always Welcome. Page 36.

- Blest assurance ever dear,
 As our troubles come so fast
 How it does the spirit cheer
 To be promised peace at last.—Cho.
- Though by sorrow's dismal cloud,
 Be our pathway overcast,
 Through the Savior's precious blood,
 We are promised peace at last.—Cho.
- We can stand the driving rains,
 We can bide the cutting blast,
 While the promise still remains,
 Of unbroken peace at last.—Cho.

To the kingdom of the skies,
 When our pilgrimage is past,
 We on spirit wings shall rise
 And abide in peace at last.—Cko.

CHORUS:

Peace at last, peace at last, Peace at last, peace at last, When our sorrows all are past, And 'tis coming, oh, how fast! Peace at last, peace at last, Peace at last, peace at last, 'Tis coming, coming, Peace at last.





HURSLEY. L. M.

Sun of My Soul.

GERMAN.





Abide with me from morn till eve, For without Thee I cannot live; Abide with me when night is nigh, For without Thee I dare not die.

Come near and bless us when we wake, Ere through the world our way we take; Till in the ocean of thy love, We lose ourselves in heav'n above.

THE MERCY SEAT.

- I From every stormy wind that blows, From every swelling tide of woes There is a calm a sure retreat, 'Tis found beneath the mercy scat.
- 2 There is a place where Jesus sheds The oil of gladness on our heads, A place than all beside more sweet, It is the blood bought mercy seat.
- 3 There then on eagles' wings we soar, And sin and sense molest no more; And heav'n comes down our souls to greet While glory crowns the mercy seat.

GOD'S WORK.

- I Sweet is the work, my God, my King, To praise Thyname, give thanks and sing, To show Thy love by morning light, And talk of all thy truth by night.
- 2 Sweet is the day of sacred rest, No mortal cares shall seize my breast; Oh! may my heart in tune be found, Like David's harp of solemn sound.
- 3 When grace has purified my heart Then I shall share a glorious part, And fresh supplies of joy be shed Like holy oil to cheer my head.

L. O. EMERSON

SESSIONS. L. M.

Come Gracious Spirit.





WONDROUS CROSS.

- 1 When I survey the wondrous cross, On which the Prince of glory died, My richest gain I count but loss And pour contempt on all my pride,
- 2 See, from His head, His hands, His feet, Sorrow and love flow mingled down; Did e'er such love and sorrow meet, Or thorns compose so rich a crown?
- 3 Since I who was undone and lost, Have pardon through His name and word, Forbid it then, that I should boast, Save in the cross of Christ my Lord.

To us the light of truth display And make us know and choose Thy way; Plant holy fear in every heart That we from God may ne'er depart.

Lead us to holiness—the road
Which we must take to dwell with God.
Lead us to Christ—the living way,
Nor let us from His pasture stray.

THE REIGN OF JESUS.

- I Jesus shall reign where'er the sun Doth his successive journeys run;
 His kingdom spread from shore to shore Till moon shall wax and wane no more.
- 2 From north to south the princes meet To pay their homage at His feet: While western empires own their Lord And savage tribes attend His word.
- 3 People and realiss of every tongue Dwell on 11s love with sweetest song And infant voices shall proclaim Their early blessings on his name.

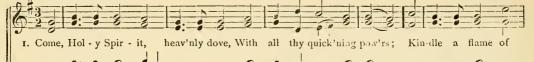


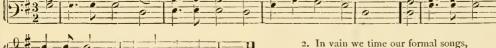


ARLINGTON. C. M.

Come, Holy Spirit.

DR. ARNE.







HEAVENLY CANAAN.

- There is a land of pure delight Where saints immortal dwell; Eternal day excludes the night, And pleasures banish pain.
- There everlasting Spring abides, And never fading flowers;
 Death, like a narrow sea, divides That heavenly land from ours.
- Sweet fields beyond the swelling flood Stand dressed in living green;
 So to the Jews fair Canaan stood While Jordan rolled between.

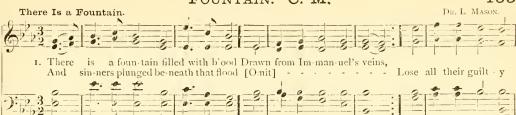
- In vain we time our formal songs, In vain we strive to rise; Hosannas languish on our tongues, And our devotion dies.
- Father, and shall we ever live At this poor dying rate, Our love so faint, so cold to thee, And thine to us so great?

JOY TO THE WORLD!

- Joy to the world! the Lord is come, Let earth receive her King; Let every heart prepare him room, And heaven and nature sing.
- Joy to the earth! the Savior reigns,
 Let men their songs employ,
 While fields and floods, rocks, hills and plains,
 Repeat the sounding joy.
- No more let sins and sorrows grow,
 Nor thorns infest the ground;
 He comes to make his blessings flow
 Far as the curse is found.



FOUNTAIN. C. M.





CROWN HIM LORD OF ALL.

- All hail the power of Jesus' name! Let angels prostrate fall; Bring forth the royal diadem And crown him Lord of all.
- Ye chosen seed of Israel's race, Ye ransomed from the fall, Hall him who saves you by his grace, And crown him Lord of all!
- 3. Let every kindred, every tribe
 On this terrestial ball,
 To him all majesty ascribe,
 And crown him Lord of all.

The dying thief rejoiced to see
That fountain in his day,
And there may I, though vile as he,
Wash all my sins away.

Dear dying Lamb, thy precious blood Shall never lose its pow'r Till all the ransomed church of God Be saved to sin no more.

CHRISTIAN SOLDIER.

- Am I a soldier of the cross,
 A follow'r of the Lamb?

 And shall I fear to own his cause,
 Or blush to speak his name?
- 2. Must I be carried to the skies On flow'ry beds of case While others fought to win the prize And sailed through bloody seas?
- 3. Are there no foes for me to face? Must I not stem the flood? Is this vile world a friend of grace To help me on to God?



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DENNIS. S. M.





Before our Father's throne
We pour our ardent prayers;
Our fears, our hopes, our aims are one—
Our comforts and our cares.

We share our mutual woes, Our mutual burdens bear, And often for each other flows The sympathizing tear.

WATCHFULNESS.

- A charge to keep I have,
 A God to glorify;
 A never dying soul to save
 And fit it for the sky.
- 2 To serve the present age, My calling to fulfill, Oh! may it all my powers engage To do my Master's will.
- 3 Arm me with jealous care,
 As in thy sight to live;
 And oh! Thy servant, Lord, prepare
 A strict account to give.

GENTLENESS OF GOD'S COMMANDS.

- 1 How gentle God's commands! How kind his precepts are! Come, cast your burdens on the Lord, And trust his constant care.
- 2 Beneath his watchful eye His saints securely dwell; That hand which bears creation up Shall guard his children well.
- 3 His goodness stands approved, Unchanged from day to day; I'll drop my burden at his feet, And bear a song away.

LABAN, S. M.

The Soldier on His Guard.







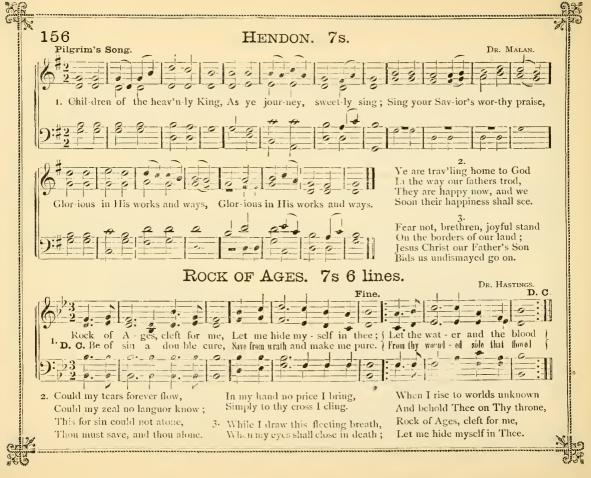
O watch and fight and pray, The battle ne'er give o'er; Renew it boldly every day And help divine implore. Ne'er think the viet'ry won
Nor lay thine armor down;
Thy arduous task will not be done
Till thou obtain thy crown.

THE SABBATH WELCOMED.

- Welcome, sweet day of rest
 That saw the Lord arise,
 Welcome to this reviving breast
 And these rejoicing eyes.
- 2 The King himself comes near And feasts his saints to-day, Here we may sit and see him here, And love and praise and pray.
- 3 One day in such a place Where Thou my God art seen Is sweeter than ten thousand days Of pleasurable sin.

TEMPERANCE.

- 1 Mourn for the tarnished gem, For reason's light divine Quenched from the soul's bright diadem Where God hath bid it shine.
- 2 Mourn for the ruined soul, Eternal life and light, Lost by the firey maddening bowl And turned to hopeless night.
- 3 Mourn for the lost; but call, Call to the strong, the free, Rouse them to shun that dreadful fall And to the refuge flee.



MARTYN. 7s Double.

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Jesus Lover of My Soul.

Fine.
S. B. MARSH.

I. { Je - sus lov - er of my soul, Let me to thy bo - som fly; } Hide me, () my Sav ior hide While the rag-ing bil-lows roll, While the tem-pest still is high. } Till the storm of life is past; D C.



- D. C. Safe in to the hav-en guide, O re-ceive my soul at last!
 - 2. Other refuge have I none, Hangs my helpless soul on Thee; Leave, ah! leave me not alone, Still support and comfort me. All my trust on Thee is stayed, All my help from thee I bring; Cover my defenseless head With the shadow of Thy wing.

3. Thou, O! Christ art all I want,
More than all in Thee I find;
Raise the fallen, cheer the faint,
Heal the sick and lead the blind.
Just and holy is thy name,
I am all unrighteousness;
Vile and full of sin I am,
Thou art full of truth and grace.

TO-DAY THE SAVIOR CALLS. 6s and 4s.

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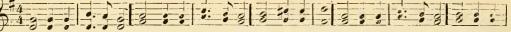
- 2. To-day the Savior calls,
 O listen now!
 Within these sacred walls
 To Jesus bow.
- 3. To-day the Savior calls,
 For refuge fly;
 The storm of justice falls,
 And death is nigh.
- 4. The Spirit calls to day,
 Yield to his power;
 Oh! grieve him not away,
 'Tis mercy's hour.

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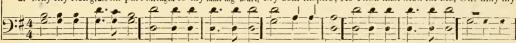
My Faith Looks Up to Thee.

NEW HAVEN. 6s and 4s.





1. My faith looks up to Thee, Thou Lamb of Cal-va-ry, Sav-ior de vine; Now hear me while I pray, Take all my 2. May thy rich grace im-part Strength to my faint-ing heart, My zeal inspire; As Thou hast died for me, Oh! may my





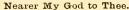
3. While life's dark maze I tread And griefs around me spread, Be thou my guide; Bid darkness turn to day, Wipe sorrow's tears away, Nor let me ever stray From Thee aside

MY COUNTRY 'TIS OF THEE.

- My country 'tis of thee, Sweet land of liberty, Of thee we sing;
 Land where our father's died, Land of the pilgrim's pride, From every mountain side
 Let freedom ring.
- My native country, thee, Land of the noble free, Thy name I love; I love thy rocks and rills, Thy woods and templed hills; My heart with rapture thrills Like that above.

- Let music swell the breeze
 And ring from all the trees
 Sweet freedom's song;
 Let mortal tongues awake,
 Let all that breathe partake,
 Let rocks their silence break,
 The sound prolong.
- 4. Our father's God to thee,
 Author of liberty,
 To thee we sing;
 Long may our land be bright
 With freedom's holy light,
 Protect us by thy might,
 Great God, our King.

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Near-er my God to Thee, Near - er to Thee.



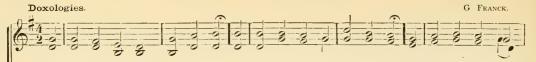
3. There let my way appear Steps up to heav'n, All that Thou sendest me In mercy giv'n; Angels to beckon me Nearer my God to Thee, Nearer to Thee,

SWEET HOUR OF PRAYER.

- I. Sweet hour of prayer, sweet hour of prayer, That ealls me from a world of care And bids me at my Father's throne Make all my wants and wishes known; In seasons of distress and grief My soul has often found relief, And oft escaped the tempter's snare By thy return sweet hour of prayer.
- 2. Sweet hour of prayer, sweet hour of prayer, Thy wings shall my petition bear To Him whose truth and faithfulness Engage the waiting soul to bless;

- And since he bids me seek his face, Believe his word, and trust his grace, I'll east on Him my every eare And wait for thee, sweet hour of prayer.
- 3. Sweet hour of prayer, sweet hour of prayer, May I thy consolation share, Till from Mount Pisgah's lofty height I view my home and take my flight; This robe of flesh I'll drop, and rise To sieze the everlasting prize, And shout while passing thro' the air Farewell, farewell, sweet hour of prayer.

OLD HUNDRED. L. M.



- 1. Praise God from whom all bless-ings flow, Praise Him all creat-ures here be-low; Praise Him a-bove, ye
- 2. To God the Fath-er, God the Son, And God the Spir it, three in one, Be hon or, praise and





WHAT A FRIEND WE HAVE IN JESUS.

1. What a friend we have in Jesus, All our sins and pains to bear; What a privilege to carry Everything to God in prayer. Oh! what peace we often forfeit! Oh! What needless pain we bear All because we do not carry Everything to God in prayer!

2. Have we trials and temptations?
Is there trouble anywhere?
We should never be discouraged,
Take it to the Lord in prayer.
Can we find a Friend so faithful,
Who will all our sorrows share?
Jesus knows our every weakness;
Take it to the Lord in prayer.

3. Are we weak and heavy laden,
Cumbered with a load of care?
Precious Savior, still our refuge,
Take it to the Lord in prayer.
Do thy friends despise, forsake thee?
Take it to the Lord in prayer;
In His arms He'll take and shield thee,
Thou wilt find a solace there.







FOR WEEK-DAY STUDY.

INTRODUCTION.

It has been the aim of the writer in preparing these rudimental lessons to place an easy and inexpensive system of instruction in the hands of the children and workers of the Sunday-school, one that will enable them with a little assistance from parents and teachers to become ready readers of music, thus preparing them for greater usefulness in the Sunday-school, choir, and congregation.

If the Superintendent or teacher will spend an hour or two each week in instructing the school to read music, valuable and permanent knowledge will be gained, and his own labors greatly lessened, inasmuch as children or adults will learn a piece of music by note in one-half the time they would learn it by imitation.

It is recommended that the Catechism be committed to memory and recited individually.

The teacher will illustrate each point fully on the blackboard, writing exercises adapted to the capabilities of the class. The divisions into chapters or lessons here adopted may be used or discarded at the pleasure of the teacher.

LESSON I.

CATECHISM.

- What is sound?
 Sound is anything audible.
- 2. What is sound considered as to pitch? A tone.
- How is tone represented as regards pitch?By a character called a staff.
- 4. Of what does the staff consist? Five lines and four spaces.
- 5. What are the lines and spaces called?
 Degrees.
- 6. How many degrees does the staff contain? and how are they numbered?

Nine; and they are numbered from the lowest to the highest.

How is the staff augmented?
 By short added lines above and below.

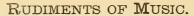
THE STAFF.	_	
First line First space		
Second line		
Third line Third space		
Fourth line Fourth space		
Fifth line — Fourth space		
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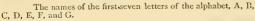
8. What names are given to tones as represented by the degrees of the stan?



Added Lines.







9. What characters regulate these tones on the staff, and determine absolute pitch?

Clefs.

10. How many clefs are there in general use?
*Two, the G clef and F clef.

G CLEF.



*There is another clef called the C clef, which is used for the tenor when written on a separate staff, but not used in this work.

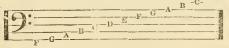
11. What does the G clef indicate?

That the letters are so arranged as to fix G on the second line, with middle C on the acided line below, thus:—



12. What does the F clef indicate?

That the letters are so arranged as to fix F on the fourth line, with middle C on the added line above, thus:—



LESSON II.

13. What is meant by middle C?

The centre of the vocal and instrumental range. The ladies can sing as many tones above it as the gentlemen can sing below it.

POSITION OF THE LETTERS ON THE STAFF.



14. What is the Diatonic Scale?

A succession of eight tones differing with each other in pitch.

15. What are the numeral names of the tones of the scale?

The names of the first eight digits, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, and 8.

16. What are the Italian or syllable names of the

tones of the scale?

Do, re, mi fa, sol, la, si, do.

17. What are their letter or permanent names?

The first seven letters of the alphabet.

The Diatonic Scale with the G clef, together with the numeral, permanent, and syllable names, is written thus:—







The F clef is written thus:-



18. What characters are used to represent the length of tones?

Characters called notes.

19. How many kinds of notes are there in general use? and what are their names?

Six. The whole note, the half note, the quarter note, the eighth note, the sixteenth note, and the thirty-second note. Their relative value is indicated by their names.

- 20. What characters are used to indicate silence? Rests.
- 21. How many kinds of rests are there in general use?

Six.

22. What are their names?

The whole rest, the half rest, the quarter rest, the eighth rest, the sixteenth rest, and the thirty-second rest.

23. As to duration, rests correspond to what?

To notes of the same denomination.

The different kinds of notes and their corresponding rests are represented thus :-











LESSON III.

24. What is a measure?

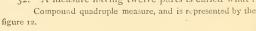
Two or more pulsations or beats.

25. How is a measure represented? By the space between two bars, thus:-

MEASURES.



- 26. A measure having two parts is called what? Double measure.
- 27. How is it represented? By the figure 2.
- 28. A measure having three parts is called what? Triple measure, and is represented by the figure 3.
- 20. A measure having four parts is called what? Quadruple measure, and is represented by the figu e 4.
- 30. A measure having six parts is called what? Sextuple measure, and is represented by the figure 6.
- 31. A measure having nine parts is called what? Compound triple measure, and is represented by the fig-
- ure q. 32. A measure having twelve parts is called what? Compound quadruple measure, and is represented by the







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THE DIFFERENT KINDS OF MEASURE.

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Double Triple Quadruple Sextaple Compound measure, measure, measure, measure, triple measure, quadruple measure.

Compound

- 33. By what method is time kept? By a motion of the hand called beating time.
- 34. How do we beat double measure? By two motions of the hand, down, up.
- 35. How do we beat triple measure? By three motions of the hand, down, left, up.
- 36. How do we beat quadruple measure? By four motions of the hand, down, left, right, up.
- 37. How do we beat sextuple measure?

By six motions of the hand, down, left, left, right, up, up, and in quick movements two motions of the hand, down, up, singing three pulsations to one motion of the hand.

- 38. How do we beat compound triple measure? By three motions, down, left, up, singing three pulsations to one motion of the hand.
- 39. How do we beat compound quadruple measure? By four motions, down, left, right, up, singing three pulsations to one motion of the hand.

LESSON IV.

40. What is accent?

A certain stress placed on particular beats in a measure. In double measure it falls on the first part or beat. In triple measure on the first part. In quadruple, on the first and third parts. Sex-

tuple, on the first and fourth parts. In compound triple measure the first part is accented with a slight accent on the fourth and seventh parts. In compound quadruple measure, on the first, and slight accents on the fourth, seventh and tenth parts.

41. What are the figures at the beginning of a composition called?

A fraction.

- 42. What does the numerator indicate? The number of parts in a measure.
- 43. What does the denominator indicate? The kind of note that fills each part.

THE FRACTION.



44. What is a tie?

A curved line placed over or under two or more notes that represent one tone.

45. What is a slur?

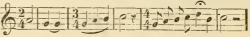
A curved line placed over or under two or more notes on different degrees of the staff to which one syllable is applied.

46. What is a pause or hold?

A character placed over or under a note, which indicates that the tone is to be prolonged at the option of the leader.

A TIE. A SLUR.

A PAUSE OR HOLD.



mag-ni-fy and praise his name.



LESSON V.

47. In how many parts is vocal music generally arranged?

Four. Soprano, Alto, Tenor and Base.

48. Which parts are written on the staff occupied by the G clef?

The Soprano and Alto.

49. Who sing these parts?

Ladies. Those who can sing the high tones well, sing Soprano. Those who can sing the low tones well, sing Alto.

50. Which parts are written on the staff occupied by the F clef?

Tenor and Base.

51. Who sing these parts?

Gentlemen. Those who can sing the high tones well, sing Tenor. Those who can sing the low tones well, sing Base.

52. What is a Solo, Duct, Trio and Quartet?

A Solo is a part for one voice. Duet, two parts for two voices. Trio, three parts for three voices. Quartet, four parts for four voices.

53. What is a Unison Passage.

A passage in which several parts sing the same tones.

LESSON VI.

54. What character is used to connect the staffs?

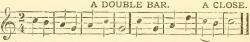


- 55. When thus connected, what are they called? A Score, the music of which should be performed simultaneously.
 - 56. What is indicated by a double bar?

 In church music, the end of a line of poetry or phrase.

57. What is a close?

Two thick bars indicating the end of a piece.



Bird-like voic - es loud and clear, Thro' the woods re - sound-ing.

58. How does a dot affect a note or rest?

It adds to it one-half its length; thus, a dot placed after a whole note or rest would make it equal in value to three half notes or rests; or after a quarter note, three eighth notes or rests.

59. What is the effect of more than one dot? Each additional dot adds one-half the length indicated by

EFFECT. EFFECT. EFFECT.

ADDITIONAL DOTS.

60. What is a triplet?

the preceding dot; thus,-

It is a group of three notes sung in the time of two of the same kind.

61. What is the sign of the triplet?

A figure three placed over or under the group; thus,-



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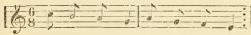


LESSON VII.

62. What is a repeat?

Dots placed before or after a double bar, indicating that the passage is to be repeated; thus,-

THE REPEAT.



Joy - ful we sing, time's on the wing.

63. What is meant by the inclosed 1st time 2d time.

It has reference to first and second ending, and in the repeat onit 1st time and pass to the 2d time; thus,-



Come, come, come, sing a joy - ful lay; Come, come, come, [Omit] - - - Tis our fes - tal day.

64. What does the term De Capo or D. C. indicate? To return to the beginning of the piece and sing to the word Fine.

65. What does the term Dal Segno or D. S. indicate?

To return to the sign of and sing to the word Fine.

66. What do the words Staccato and Marcuto indicate?

That the words are to be sung in a short, detached manner.

67. How are they represented?

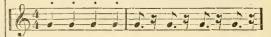
By points over the notes for Staccato, which are to be sung in a very detached manner; and by dots for Marcato, which are to be sung in a less detached manner.

STACCATO POINTS.

EFFECT.



MARCATO DOTS.

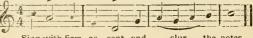


- 68. What is the meaning of Legato? Smooth and connected: opposite of Staccato.
- 69. What does rit. or ritard signify? Gradually slower.

70. When is a note said to be syncopated.

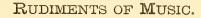
When an unaccented note is connected with the following accented note, thereby displacing the usual accent; thus,-

EXERCISE WITH SYNCOPATED NOTES.



Sing with firm ac - cent and slur the notes.





LESSON VIII.

71. What is the meaning of Mezzo?

Sing in a medium or middle tone, with no unusual voca exertion; it is marked M.

- 72. What is the meaning of Piano or P.? Sing in a soft tone, with some vocal restraint.
- 73. What is the meaning of Pianissimo or pp?
 Very softly, with the greatest vocal restraint.
- 74. What is the meaning of Forte or F.?
 Loud, with some vocal exertion.
- 75. What is the meaning of Fortissimo or ff: Very loud; the greatest vocal exertion consistent with purity.
 - 76. What do fp, mp, mf, etc., mean? A modification of Forte and Piano, Mezzo and Piano, etc.
 - 77. What is an organ tone? [_____]
 A tone begun, continued, and ended with the same power.
 - 78. What does Crescendo or Cres. mean? [___]
 A tone begun soft and gradually increased in power.
 - 79. What does Diminuendo or Dim. mean? [>] A tone begun loud and gradually decreased in power.
 - 80. What is a swell? []

 A union of Crescendtz and Diminuendo.
- What is an explosive tone marked Foroando or Sforzando? [sf fz →]

A very short tone produced with force and suddenly diminished.

82. What is movement?

The style or manner of rendering time in a composition, of the staff.

The movements in common use are,-

MODERATO—Moderate.
ALLEGRO—Fast.
ANDANTE—Slow.
ADAGIO—Very slow.
ALLEGRETTO—Medium fast.
ANDANTINO—Medium slow.
CON SPIRITO—Spirited.
PRESTO—Very quick.
RITARD or RIT.—Slower.
A TEMPO—Original time of previous movement.

LESSON IX.

83. What is an interval?

The difference of pitch between two tones.

- 84. How are intervals measured?
 By steps and half steps.
- 85. What is a half step?

 The smallest interval in use.
- S6. What is a step?

 An interval as great as two half steps.
- 87. What is a minor second?

 A second as small as a half step.
- 88. What is a major second?

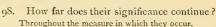
 A second as great as a step.
- 89. How is a second represented? By two adjoining degrees of the staff.
- 90. How is a third, fourth, fifth, sixth, seventh, and eighth represented?

By three, four, five, six, seven, and eight adjoining degrees the staff.





G flat: thus.-



form the interval of a step. 92. Between what tones of the scale do we find the

Those which occur between the tones of the scale that

intermediate tones?

Between 1 and 2, 2 and 3, 4 and 5, 5 and 6, 6 and 7.

o3. How are intermediate tones represented? By characters called sharps, flats, and naturals.

94. For what is a sharp [#] used?

91. What are intermediate tones?

To represent a tone a half step higher than does without the sharp.

95. For what is the flat [2] used?

To represent a tone a half step lower than it does without the flat.

96. For what is a natural [] used?

To cancel the effect of the previous sharp or flat.



LESSON X.

97. What are the sharps[], flats[], and naturals [2] occuring in a piece of music called? Accidentals.

99. From what is an intermediate tone named? From either of the two scale tones between which it occurs. with the addition of the word sharp or flat prefixed or suffixed. Thus, the intermediate tone between one and two, with respect to relative pitch is named sharp one or flat two; absolute pitch. C sharp or D flat; between one and four, sharp four or flat five, F sharp or



Sharp one. Flat two. Sharp four. Flat five.

100. The intermediate tones are called what? Chromatic tones.

IOI. The other tones are called what? Diatonic tones.

102. A scale composed of Diatonic tones only, is called what?

A Diatonic scale.

103. A scale composed of all the tones of the Diatonic scale and the intermediate tones, is called what? A Chromatic scale consisting of thirteen tones and indicated

CHROMATIC SCALE ASCENDING.







CHROMATIC SCALE DESCENDING.



104. What is the Key note?

r or 8 of the scale.

105. What is the difference between a scale and a key?

A scale consists of eight successive tones, while a key has only seven, and can be arranged in any order.

106. Of what intervals is the major Diatonic scale composed?

Seconds. Five major seconds and two minor seconds.

107. Between what tones of the scale do we find minor seconds?

Between 3 and 4, and 7 and 8.



108. Between what tones of the scale do we find major seconds.

Between 1 and 2, 2 and 3, 4 and 5, 5 and 6, 6 and 7.

CHAPTER XI.

100. What is transposition of the scale?

In the treatment of the scale thus far, the pitch of C has always been taken as *one*; but this may be changed and any other pitch may be taken as *one*. Such a change is called transposition.

110. What must be observed in transposing the major Diatonic scale?

The proper order of intervals must be observed; that is, major seconds must occur between 1 and 2, 2 and 3, 4 and 5, 5 and 6, 6 and 7; minor seconds must occur between 3 and 4, and 7 and 8.

III. How is this done?

By omitting certain tones of the old key and adapting in their place certain intermediate tones as members of the new key.

112. What is the natural order of transposition?

That which requires the change of but one tone with each transposition.





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113. In how many ways can this be accomplished?

Two. First, by taking five of the old key for one of the music? new key; second, by taking four of the old key for one of the new key.

114. In taking five as one of the new key, what tone of the old key is omitted?

Four. Sharp four being adopted in its place, which becomes seven of the new key, called the key of G.

SCALE OF G.



115. What new tone is introduced in taking four of the old key as one of the new?

Bb, and because four of the new key is called the key of F.



116. Where are the sharps and flats indicating the change of key placed, and what are they called?

At the beginning of the staff immediately after the clef, and are called the Signature [sign] of the key.

117. How far does the influence of the Signature extend?

Throughout the staff, unless canceled; for instance, in the key of G, F\$ being the signature, all the degrees that represent F must be sharped whenever they occur.

118. How many major keys are used in sacred

Ten. C, G, D, A, E, B, F, B, Eb, Ab, Db.

CHAPTER XII.

II.9. What is the Signature of the key of C?

It has no signature.

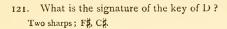


120. What is the signature of the key of G? One sharp; F#.









KEY OF D.



122. What is the signature of the key of A?

Three sharps; F#, C#, G#.

KEY OF A.



123. What is the signature of E? Four sharps; F#, C#, G#, D#.

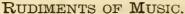
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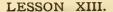


124. What is the signature of B? Five sharps; Ff, Cf, Gf, Df, Af.

KEY OF B.







125. What is the signature of F? One flat; Bb.







126. What is the signature of B2? Two flats; Bb, Eb.

KEY OF Bo.



127. What is the signature of E2?

Three flats: Bb. Eb. Ab

KEY OF Eb.



128. What is the signature of A2.

Four flats; Bb, E, Ab, Db.

KEY OF Ab.







130. What is the minor scale?

Each key has its minor Diatonic scale, which commences a third below *one* of the major scale; for instance, in the key of C the relative minor commences upon A.

131. How does the minor scale differ from the major?

By the order of its intervals. One of the distinguishing features is the third, which in major scales is major, and in minor scales, minor. It has also two forms; thus, the—

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